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	Claims After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus		0	x \$25=	0		x \$50=	
Indep.		Minus		0	x \$100=	0		x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$180=	---		+ \$360=	
					total add'l fee	\$ 0		total add'l fee	\$ 0

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